



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 05-258-A2)

In the Application of:)	
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Stamler et al.)	Before the Examiner:
)	Gupta, Anish
Serial No. 10/066,320)	
)	Group Art Unit: 1654
Filed: January 31, 2002)	
)	Confirmation No.: 1921
For: Method of Determining Physiological)	
Effects of Hemoglobin)	

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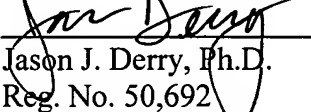
Sir:

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants request a One-Month Extension of Time to extend the period for filing a reply to and including November 14, 2005. A check covering the requisite amount of \$60.00 for an Extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) is attached. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: November 14, 2005

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